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In re PATENT APPLICATION OF

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Group Art Unit: 1632

Application No. 09/435,629

Examiner: J. Woitach

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Title: PRODUCTION OF CHIMERIC BOVINE OR PORCINE ANIMALS USING

**CULTURED INNER MASS CELLS** 

**AMENDMENT AND REPLY** 

Hon. Commissioner of Patents Washington, D.C. 20231

Sir:

This reply is responsive to the Office Action dated December 19, 2001. Kindly enter the following amendments and remarks prior to further examination:

## **IN THE SPECIFICATION:**

Please replace the paragraph beginning at line 3 of page 1, previously amended by the preliminary amendment filed November 8, 1999, with the following amended paragraph:

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